

NINETY-FIFTH YEAR.

ST. LOUIS, MO., SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 1903.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

I.  
"Proud Bird of the Mountain,  
Thy plume shall be torn,"



## Lace Department.

3 Special Bargains in Laces for Underwear.

100 pieces Torchon Edge and Insertions to match, fine and showy patterns; can be "lifted" now for (yard) 2½¢ and ..... 3½¢

Another lot of 300 pieces Torchon Medici Lace and Insertions, also Point de Paris, can be "lifted" at, yard..... 5¢

150 pieces Point de Paris Laces and Insertions to match—beautiful patterns; can be "lifted" now at, yard..... 10¢

See the magnificent line of Real Cluny, Antique, Torchon, Medici Laces and Insertions, also Medallions—best line in the city and by far the cheapest.

Imitation Antiques and Cluny Laces and Insertions, from 10¢ a yard and upwards.

## Lace Curtains, Portieres, Etc.

Third-Floor Goods.

500 pair Scotch Lace Curtains, 3 and 3½ yards long, manufacturer's seconds, can be "lifted" for (pair) 75¢

500 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yds., all the newest effects, can be "lifted" now for (pair) \$1.25

150 Rope Portieres, in all the newest colors, can be "lifted" now for..... \$1.75

500 pair Tapestry Portieres, in plain reps and figures, used for straight hanging, with handsome borders, can be "lifted" now for (pair)..... \$4.75

100 dozen Opaque Window Shades, 3x6, fixtures complete, can be "lifted" now for (each)..... 22½¢

15 gross Brass Extension Rods, can be "lifted" now for (each)..... 2½¢

10 gross All-Wool Rug Fringe, can be "lifted" now for (yard)..... 5¢



III.  
A prize like that is hard to lift,  
Unlike the prizes we display.  
The Looms' choice fruit is like a gift  
At valuations shown to-day.—N. W. McF.

Supplement to this Ad will be found in the Globe-Democrat, Star, Mississippi Blatter, East St. Louis Journal and Amerika.

## WASH GOODS.

INTERESTING EVENTS IN WASH GOODS FOR THIS WEEK.

An odd lot of 2,000 yards 32-inch wide Batiste, in all colors, and a variety of different designs, can be "lifted" this week for, per yard..... 5¢

Seersucker Dress Gingham, in blue and white mixed stripes, and pink and white small broken checks, can be "lifted" this week, per yard..... 5¢

Swiss Muslins, silk finished, white grounds with black and colored designs, and black grounds with white designs, can be "lifted" this week for, per yard..... 10¢

A large and elegant line of fine Scotch Woven Madras, in stripes and figures, all colors, for shirts and shirt waists, can be "lifted" this week for, per yard..... 25¢

Extra fine quality, yard wide, plain woven Madras, white grounds with small neat printings of figures and stripes, for men's shirts and ladies' shirt waists, can be "lifted" this week, for, per yard..... 15¢

Mercerized Imported French Foulard Sateens, in navy blue and black grounds with white figures, permanent finish, they have the appearance of fine foulard silks, can be "lifted" this week for, per yard..... 35¢

Oxford Vestings, Mercerized, for ladies' shirt waists, white grounds in a variety of different colored stripes, can be "lifted" this week for, per yard..... 50¢



Third Floor.

## Carpets and Rugs.

These early spring days suggest house-cleaning and house-cleaning suggests a new carpet here, and a new rug there, and we suggest that you visit our carpet and rug department, where you will find a stock so replete with almost every known make of floor covering and at prices so far below those of carpet houses that it will make it unnecessary for you to look further. We quote a few of our prices on new spring goods.

The Newest in Floor Rugs—Made of Prairie Grass, wear like leather and make a room look clean and fresh; they come in different shades and all sizes. Ask to See Them.

Axminster Carpets—Very rich and handsome patterns, with or without borders to match; they sell all over at \$1.10 a yard, but they can be "lifted" here from us for..... 85¢

Wilton Velvet Carpets—Just opened up several new patterns in Velvet Carpets, fine color effects; they are regular \$1.00 a yard goods, but can be "lifted" here for..... 79¢

Ingrain Art Carpets—Beautiful designs and every thread all wool; quoted elsewhere at \$8.50, can be "lifted" here for..... \$6.98

Brussels Floor Rugs—Size 9x12 feet, and made of good quality Brussels carpet; all in nice patterns; a \$15.00 rug can be "lifted" here for..... \$11.50

Straw Mattings—100 rolls Japanese Straw Matting, with cotton warp; all in carpet patterns, and really a 25¢ a yard matting, can be "lifted" here for..... 17½¢

Hassocks—In pretty velour colorings, very strong and durable; never sold for less than 50¢, can be lifted here for..... 25¢

II.  
If we, who are in yachting gifted,  
Who proved ourselves the better handler,  
Allow the pewter to be lifted  
By Glasgow's famous Tallow Chandler.



## ... Linens ...

Bargains shown throughout this Department are a host of Mighty Values.

72-inch Bleached Double Damask—they are the new mercerized effects and come in beautiful designs and permanent finish—can be "lifted" for..... 85¢

66-in. All-Linen Half Bleached Scotch Double Damask, good, honest homespun goods and free from dressing; can be "lifted" for, yard..... 59¢

100 dozen 20-in. All-Linen Bleached Dinner Napkins, can be "lifted" for, dozen..... 98¢

700 dozen 18x36 White Hemmed Huck towels, very good thing for hotelkeepers, a regular 12½¢ towel, can be "lifted" for, each..... 10¢

1,000 Fancy Fringed Tray Cloths, can be "lifted" for, each..... 10¢

200 full-size White Hemmed Bed Spreads. These Spreads are made of the best combed yarn and come in Marseilles patterns; can be "lifted" for, per spread, 98¢

## ... Domestics ...

10-4 Bleached Sheeting, full width, without a particle of starch; can be "lifted" for, yard..... 20¢

500 Ready-Made Unbleached Sheets, size 81x90, will bleach out quickly, can be "lifted" now for, each..... 37½¢

300 large size Bleached Sheets, just the thing for hotels and rooming houses, a good heavy quality of cotton; can be "lifted" now for, each..... 39¢

8-4 Bleached Hemstitched Sheets, full size and width, one of the best brands of sheeting made; can be "lifted" now for, each..... 50¢

Mattress Protectors, in all sizes, from the go-cart to full-size beds, ranging in price from, each..... \$2.00

15¢ to..... \$2.00

These goods are purely antiseptic, and for coolness and preservation of mattresses cannot be equaled.

## Furniture Department.

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Our new stock of Furniture, on the Third Floor, will be a revelation to intending purchasers, as nowhere else in St. Louis can they find such a display of new and artistic pieces grouped on one floor, and this includes ALL GRADES of Furniture at prices that will be an eye-opener to those who in the past have confined their buying to exclusive furniture houses. Take for example:

Brass Beds—We are showing a very heavy all-brass bed of handsome design, in genuine English lacquer, that is easily worth \$35.00, but can be "lifted" here for..... \$25.00

Box Couches—Large, without head, finished interior, patent self-raising hinges, best of springs, and covered in fine moss-green velour—a \$30.00 couch that can be "lifted" here for..... \$15.00

Dressers—In quartered golden oak, serpentine front and large French plate mirror—can be "lifted" here for..... \$15.00

Chiffoniers—Extra wide, in solid oak, with large French beveled-edge mirror—can be "lifted" here for..... \$10.00

Parlor Suites—3 pieces, in heavy mahogany, finished birch frames; your choice of coverings; furniture houses ask \$25 for them, but from us they can be "lifted" for..... \$21.00

Pillows—Extra large all-feather Pillows, in fancy art tickings, can be "lifted" here for (per pair)..... \$1.25

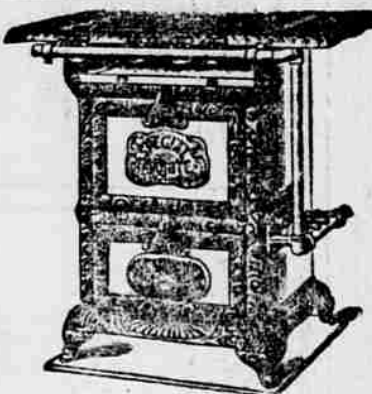
Chairs—Solid oak, brace-arm, cane-seat Dining Chairs—really a \$1.00 chair—can be "lifted" here for..... 75¢

## 25¢ Dinner Served in Our Cafe.

(FIFTH FLOOR)

D. CRAWFORD &amp; CO.,

## Gas Ranges.



Beginning Monday morning we shall inaugurate our Fourth Annual Sale of Favorite Gas Ranges and will show the complete line, set up and connected, on our fourth floor.

We claim for the "Favorite" Gas Ranges that they excel all others in mechanical construction, ease and effectiveness in operation, and that they utilize less gas than any other make, burning four parts air to one part gas. To convince you that our claims are facts, we have every range connected with gas supply and show the economy written evidence of many users—showing that

All "Favorite" Gas Ranges are sold, delivered and connected with the gas in your kitchen ready to use, and with the absolute guarantee to give satisfaction.

The "Favorite," 4-burner, connected in kitchen ready to use, can be "lifted" now for..... \$15.50

The "Favorite," 5-burner, one giant and one simmering burner and broiler burners, connected in kitchen ready to use, can be "lifted" now for..... \$20.00

Any Gas or Coal Range sold on easy payments of 10¢ a day.



## Harness.

Our Harness Department is just as complete with new spring styles for the horse as other departments are for his master or mistress—embracing over 300 styles in Buggy, Runabout, Surrey, Trap, Express, single and double. All are cut from select oak stock and manufactured by skilled workmen.

Single Buggy Harness, strap or hand-laced saddle, 1¼-inch traces, "V"-shaped breast strap, and all other parts in proportion—can be "lifted" now for..... \$12.49

Surrey Harness, full laced saddle, 1¼-inch traces; a good, serviceable set—can be "lifted" now for..... \$10.75

A very well showy set Single Trap Harness, solid nickel trimmed, can be "lifted" now for..... \$35.00

Express Harness, 5-inch saddle, 1½-inch traces, and cut from heavy select stock throughout, full brass trimmed—can be "lifted" now for..... \$19.98!!

Special Demonstration of  
SCHNEIDER SISTERS' TOILET CREAM AND SOAP.  
(FIRST FLOOR)

MANY FRIENDS ATTEND GILL  
GOLDEN WEDDING AT O'FALLON, MO.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
O'Fallon, Mo., March 21.—A notable event in the history of O'Fallon was the celebration yesterday of the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Gill. A host of friends united in congratulating this worthy couple, who have journeyed side by side through fifty years.

Mrs. Gill (nee Miller) was born in Warren County, Virginia, in 1831, and emigrated to Missouri in 1844. Mr. Gill is a native of Missouri, but his ancestors were from Kentucky. They were married in St. Charles County, Missouri, March 22, 1853. Three daughters blessed this union—Mrs. Madona Turton, Mrs. Mary Dier and Mrs. Millie Medley. They have thirteen grandchildren. Mr. Gill has one brother and sister living. Their father, John Gill, built the first gallows and covered the first market-house in St. Louis.

Metropolitan Opera-house and checked the "lagers" at the last subscription performance of the season, there were no more enthusiastic listeners than the occupants of box in the second tier. Miller Reese Hutchinson and an assistant were there and three young women and two men with Mr. Hutchinson's invention, the akono-phone, attached to their ears, saw and heard grand opera for the first time in their lives.

The experiment was tried, not so much to test the apparatus as to demonstrate its application. The box which the party occupied was near the center of the house. The instruments were adjusted so that the sound was magnified many times, and both the instrumental and vocal music was heard plainly by the five members of the party.

Doctor Van Tassel, assistant superintendent of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, said that each one of the five had been deaf from childhood, and had never tried Mr. Hutchinson's device before last night. "It is grand," said one young woman with her fingers, when the orchestra began. "How beautiful," said another when the curtain was raised. When a grand burst of sound from the full chorus filled the house the novices at grand opera sat spellbound. They watched the singers intently and expressed great delight when the basso was heard alone. It was Mrs. Sembrich's singing, as Maria, however, that enraptured them. More eloquent than the red roses which were heaped upon the stage at the finale was the applause from the deaf-mutes in the second tier box.

MR. AND MRS. B. T. GILL,  
Of O'Fallon, Mo.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
New York, March 21.—To hear music for the first time, and that music the voice of Mme. Sembrich in grand opera, was the good fortune last night of five inmates of the New York Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. Lightning fingers telegraphed joy and faces beamed with pleasure when the orchestra began the overture to "La Fille du Regiment."

In all the great throng that filled the

FOR FAT CONTRACTED  
IN LINE OF DUTY.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
New York, March 21.—One Sergeant and four patrolmen were retired on certificate of the police surgeons, as follows: Sergeant Thomas Grey of the Alexander Avenue Precinct, twenty-five years' service; John B. Idlet, Staten Island, twenty-four years' service; William Conley, Old Slip, nineteen years' service; John Eagan, Church Street Precinct, twenty years, and Theobald Thorn, Alexander Avenue, eighteen years. Eagan's case was regarded as very peculiar by General Greene. The surgeons directed his retirement on a pension because of permanent disability, "due to asthma, obesity and varicose veins, contracted in the line of duty."

"I don't see just how Eagan could have contracted obesity in the line of duty," the Commissioner remarked. "But I cannot go back of the surgeons' finding. The law says I must retire a man on their recommendation."

## TWENTY CANDIDATES IN FIELD.

Scramble for Senator-Elect Long's Seat in Congress.  
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Washington, March 21.—It is said that twenty candidates are bunched in the race for the congressional nomination on the Republican ticket in the Seventh Kansas District. This is the district formerly represented by Senator Long, and which twice sent to Congress Jerry "Soxless" Simpson. It embraces thirty-six counties, or about one-third of the State. Last fall, before any one knew who would be chosen to succeed Senator Harris, or, in fact, whether or not the Republicans would control the Legislature, although there were good reasons to believe that they would, the district re-elected Mr. Long, just to make sure that he would come to Congress in the event of his failure to reach the Senate, for which he was taken a candidate. Likewise, Representative Curtis, Representative Calderhead and Representative Bowersock, also candidates for the Senate, were re-elected to the House. By reason of his re-election and his subsequent election to the Senate, Mr. Long found himself, just before the adjournment, surfeited with political offices. He was a member of the Fifty-seventh Congress, a member elect to the Fifty-eighth Congress and a Senator elect. As soon as he was sworn in as Senator, however, he tendered to the Governor of the State his resignation as a member of

DOG PROTECTED  
STARVING HORSE.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Philadelphia, March 21.—Standing guard over a starving horse and ministering to the steed in its brute way, a large Newfoundland dog yesterday refused to permit any one to approach its helpless charge. When Agent Cantrell of the Women's Society to Prevent Cruelty to Animals, and Policeman Penn of Roxborough, approached the horse to kill it, the dog jumped at them and at first drove them away. So long as the men remained at a distance the dog lay quietly near the horse, at times tenderly licking its head. The horse lay in a big field near the Andorra Nurseries, at the upper end of the Wissahickon drive. It is said to have been left there for several days without food or drink or attention, save for that of its dumb companion, the dog. The Newfoundland was finally induced by friendly overtures to allow the men to reach the horse and end its misery. But when the carcass was placed in a large wagon the canine followed it and was only separated from the body by force.